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LASER BEAM AND APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ASSEMBLING THE  
OPTICAL DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT**

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3 Action dated June 16, 2004, a submission for the request for continued examination  
(RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 filed simultaneously herewith. Please amend the above-  
identified application as indicated herein. This amendment document is formatted as  
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